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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2009—10 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1244

Introduced by Assembly Member Block

February 27, 2009

An act to add Section 3007.5 to the Penal Code, relating to parolees.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1244, as amended, Block. Parolee: driver's licenses.

Existing law authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to require a person applying for a driver's license or an identification card to provide any identification that it determines is necessary to ensure the identity of the applicant.

This bill would require the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to provide an offender with a Parolee Identification Card and would require the Department of Motor Vehicles to honor that card as a valid source of identification for the purposes of applying for a driver's license or an identification card.

The bill would authorize the above-referenced departments to jointly adopt rules and enter into interagency agreements necessary to establish the identities of offenders for the purposes of assisting offenders in obtaining a driver's license or identification card immediately upon the offender's release. *The bill would specify that it is not intended to abrogate any requirement set forth in the Vehicle Code.*

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 3007.5 is added to the Penal Code, to
2 read:
3 3007.5. (a) The Department of Motor Vehicles and the
4 Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation shall jointly adopt
5 rules and enter into interagency agreements necessary to establish
6 the identity of an offender for the purpose of assisting the offender
7 in obtaining a driver's license or identification card immediately
8 upon the offender's release from an institution of the Department
9 of Corrections and Rehabilitation.
10 (b) The Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation may
11 provide an offender a Parolee Identification Card that shall be
12 honored by the Department of Motor Vehicles as a valid source
13 of identification for the purposes of applying for a driver's license
14 or an identification card.
15 (c) *Nothing in this section is intended to abrogate any*
16 *requirement set forth in the Vehicle Code.*